IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

DONALD F. BENOIT, Derivatively on Behalf of MBNA CORP., and on Behalf of Himself and All Others Similarly Situated,

:

Plaintiff,

v.

BRUCE L. HAMMONDS, et al.,

Civ. No. 07-CV-561-GMS

Defendants,

- and-

BANK OF AMERICA CORPORATION, a Delaware Corporation, AS SUCCESSOR IN INTEREST TO MBNA CORP., and MBNA CORP., a Maryland Corporation,

Nominal Defendants. :

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MOTION TO DISMISS

Defendants James H. Berick, Mary M. Boies, Benjamin R. Civiletti, William L. Jews, Stuart L. Markowitz, William B. Milstead, Thomas G. Murdough and Laura S. Unger (collectively, the "Outside Directors") hereby move, through their undersigned counsel, to dismiss the Verified Shareholder's Class and Derivative Complaint for reasons more fully set forth in a brief filed herewith.

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